



MINUTES

City Council Work Session

4:00 PM - Tuesday, February 7, 2023

City Hall, 1225 6th Avenue

The City Council of the City of Marion, Linn County, Iowa met in informal work session, Tuesday, February 7, 2023, at 4:00 PM, in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 1225 6th Avenue, with the following members present:

PRESENT: Grant Harper, Steve Jensen, Colette Atkins, Nicolas AbouAssaly, Will Brandt, Sara Mentzer, and Randy Strnad

ABSENT: None

Mayor AbouAssaly presided over the meeting.

PRESENTATIONS

Presentation from Linn County Trails Association

Tom Peffer with the Linn County Trails Association presented a check to the City of Marion for the advance design of the Lucore Road pedestrian bridge and sidepath project.

Presentation from Cedar Rapids Linn County Solid Waste Agency

Joe Horaney with the Cedar Rapids Linn County Solid Waste Agency provided an overview of the services and programs the Agency provides and provided information regarding Forward 2044.

OTHER DEPARTMENT DISCUSSION

Overview regarding Utility Terrain Vehicles (UTV) Use

Police Chief Mike Kitsmiller provided an overview of questions or complaints made during the last six months regarding UTV use in Marion. He also stated no warnings or citations have been given.

Discussion regarding the application for future Alburnett Road cost reimbursements associated with Bowman Meadows Additions

City Engineer Mike Barkalow provided information about the overwidth/overdepth reimbursements of the above referenced development.

UPCOMING AGENDA REVIEW

Discussion regarding the February 9, 2023 agenda

Council discussed the agenda items for Thursday night's meeting with no action taken.

CLOSED SESSION

Motion to adjourn to closed session regarding personnel matters as permitted under Section 21.5(1)(i) of the Code of Iowa.

Moved by Harper, seconded by Atkins, to adjourn to closed session as stated above. City Attorney Kara Bullerman stated that she has reviewed the subject matter to be discussed and found it to be an appropriate topic for closed session. A roll call vote was taken.

Approved unanimously

Moved by Atkins, seconded by Mentzer, to reconvene to regular session.

Approved unanimously

ADJOURN

Mayor AbouAssaly adjourned the meeting at 6:29 p.m.

Nicolas AbouAssaly, Mayor

Rachel Bolender, City Clerk

The undersigned City Clerk of Marion, Iowa certifies that the minutes shown immediately above were published in the Gazette on the _____ day of _____, 20____.

Rachel Bolender, City Clerk